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In reviewing the Renewed Petition mailed November 16, 2001, applicant's attorney has found that the Declaration and Power of Attorney referred to in the Renewed Petition was apparently omitted. The Declaration is enclosed herewith.

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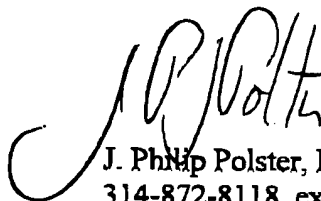
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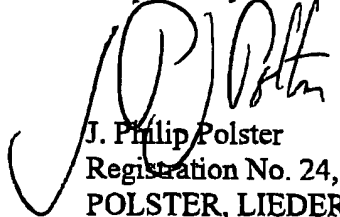
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**DECLARATION AND POWER OF ATTORNEY  
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As a below named inventor, I hereby declare that: My residence, post office address and citizenship are as stated below next to my name. I believe I am the original, first, and sole inventor (if only one name is listed below) or an original, first and joint inventor (if plural names are listed below) of the subject matter which is claimed and for which a patent is sought on the invention entitled (AS AMENDED) THERMAL PROTECTIVE STRUCTURES AND METHODS OF MAKING THEM, the specification of which was described and claimed in PCT International Application No. PCT/US98/14775, filed July 16, 1998 and as amended under Article 34.

I hereby state that I have reviewed and understand the contents of the above-identified specification, including the claims. Malkit S. Deogon is an inventor of the invention as originally claimed in some claims of said PCT application, but is not an inventor of the U.S. national stage application as amended by preliminary amendment.

I acknowledge the duty to disclose information which is material to the examination of this application in accordance with Title 37, Code of Federal Regulations, §1.56(a).

I hereby claim the benefit under Title 35, United States Code, §120 of any United States application(s) or PCT International applications listed below and, insofar as the subject matter of each of the claims of this application is not disclosed in the prior United States application in the manner provided by the first paragraph of Title 35, United States Code, §112, I acknowledge the duty to disclose information which is material to patentability as defined in Title 37, Code of Federal Regulations, §1.56 which became available between the filing date of the prior application and the national or PCT International filing date of this application.

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We, the above named joint inventors, have signed this declaration on our own behalf and also sign this declaration under 37 CFR 1.47(a) on behalf of the nonsigning joint inventor, particulars for whom are:

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